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WOMEN FIGHT A DUEL.

ONE OF THE PARTICIPANTS FALLS DAGEROURLY WOUNDED.

RESULT OF A FEUD IN OKLAHOMA.

Mrs. Seiglin Challenged Mrs. Daughson to Fight a Duel with Pistols at Twenty paces—a Daughter of the first named gave the Signal to fire.—Husbands now Seeking for each other.

Chicago, April 4.—A special to the Record-Herald from Newkirk, Okla., says:

Mrs. Ella Seiglin and Mrs. Daughson, living near this city, fought a duel with revolvers at twenty paces to-day and Mrs. Seiglin is now in a hospital dangerously wounded. Two of her opponent's shots lodged in her breast, but she is able to talk and is anxious to recover that she may again fight Mrs. Daughson.

The duel grew out of a long-standing feud between the women, jealousy being the cause. Mrs. Daughson lives on a farm just south of the city, and Mrs. Seiglin has frequently endeavored to arouse the temper of her neighber by various means, the most effectual being the claim that she (Mrs. Seiglin) could take Mrs. Daughson's husband away from his wife any time she wished.

Mrs. Daughson finally appealed to the courts, and yesterday forenoon Mrs. Seiglin was fined $300 for trespassing upon the Daughson property and inciting trouble. As soon as she paid the fine Mrs. Seiglin drove out to the Daughson home, smarting under the loss of money and the criticism of the judge. Riding up to the door of the Daughson house, she invited her rival to come out and fight a duel.

Mrs. Daughson promptly accepted the challenge, and came out armed with a revolver. The women then faced each other at fifty feet and began shooting, the signal being given by a daughter of Mrs. Seiglin, who had accompanied her from town. Each fired three shots without effect. Then Mrs. Daughson got the range and fired two shots in quick succession, both striking Mrs. Seiglin in the breast. She fell and Mrs. Daughson assisted in carrying her into the house, where a physician dressed her wounds, after which she was conveyed to a hospital. Now the husbands of the women are seeking each other, vowing to kill on sight.

The partisans of each woman are also burnishing up their weapons and seeking an excuse to shoot somebody. During the trial the two women attempted several times to fly at each other and fight it out then and there, and the belligerent spirit permeated the entire courtroom.

Mrs, Seiglin says her revolver refused to work after the first three shots, and that she will make a better record when next she faces Mrs. Daughson. The latter has not yet been arrested, and grimly remarks that she has taken the precaution to reload her revolver and oil its joints, and that she can be found at home by any one looking for an argument.

Electric Line to Connect Burlington, Graham and Haw River.

Graham, N. C., April 5.—The plan for building an electric line to connect Burlington, Graham and Haw River is backed by a New York corporation, and it is expected work will begin soon. There are 10,000 people living along the line of the proposed electric road and it would have a fine business.

Georgia Won the Cup.

Athens, Ga., April 5.—The debate here to-night, between the University of North Carolina and the University of Georgia, was won by Georgia. The subject was: "Resolved, That the combinations of capital, commonly known as trusts, are more injurious than beneficial. Georgia had the affirmative.

Woodburn Gold Mine Reopened.

Greensboro, N. C., April 5.—A number of hands are employed in opening the old Woodburn gold mine in the southern part of the county, which has not operated for years. The mine is rich in gold-bearing ore.

Knox Attorney General.

Washington, April 5.—At the Cabinet meeting today President McKinley announced to the members that P. C. Knox, of Pittsburg, has accepted the Attorney Generalship, which was offered him last week.

"Nazarenes" Burned in their Church.

Vienna, April 5.—The "Nazarenes," a sect resembling the Quakers, were attacked in their meeting house at Gresswardein, Hungary. Ten were killed and many wounded. A mob set fire to the meeting house, and terrible scenes ensued.

Jews killed in Religious Riots.

Constantinople, April 5.—Many Jews have been killed and scores wounded in religious riots at Teberan, the Persian capital. The Shah has ordered Moslem Shiek Hdrahim, who started the riot, executed.

DRIVEN MAD BY SMALLPOX.

A Crazed Negro Runs Amuck and is Shot and Killed.

Lynchburg, Va., Special, 3d, to Washington Post.

Rivermount, the suburb recently annexed to this city, was the scene of intense excitement about 5 o'clock this afternoon. A negro, who came by train from Iron Gate March 10, broke out with smallpox and was then immediately sent to the pest house, became delirious soon after 4 o'clock to-day, and attacking the guard with a stick of wood, made his escape.

He entered a residence in Rivermount, but was driven off by the inmates, and then made two unsuccessful attempts to board street cars. Coming nearer to the city he walked into the yard of the home of J. C. Woodson, secretary of the Citizens Building and Banking Company, and, going upstairs, secured a pistol loaded in five chambers. While he was there an aunt of Mr. Woodson started to go upstairs, when the negro from above fired at her, missing her. Mrs. Woodson, hearing the report, also went to the foot of the stairs, when the negro again fired. Both ladies ran screaming to a neighbor and telephoned to Mr. Woodson, who was in the city.

The negro ran out of the house and started toward the river, a street car conductor firing twice at him as he went. Urged by the cries of the ladies, Walter Wingfield, a young white man, gave chase to the negro, caught him, and, with assistance, brought him back to the front of the house. By this time Mr. Woodson had arrived, and seizing a stout rope, made a noose and threw it over the negro's head, leading him toward a loaded wagon of wood, where he proposed to tie him. The negro, however, threw the noose off and started to run again toward the river.

Some one in the crowd fired and then Mr. Woodson ordered him to halt, but as he did not stop when he had gone about 75 feet, Mr. Woodson fired at him and the negro dropped, dying almost instantly. The mayor was notified and went to the spot, where Mr. Woodson gave himself up.

A coroner's jury was empaneled, but the inquest was postponed until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, Mr. Woodson being bailed in the sum of $2,500. The negro's face was a mass of scabs from smallpox. His home was in Pittsylvania county.

A Riot in Wyoming.

Cheyenne, Wyo., April 6.—Three hundred Austrians employed on the Union Pacific grade, thirty miles west of Cheyenne, engaged in a riot yesterday and many were injured. So far as known, however, there were no fatalities.

An Austrian had been discharged by the foreman, and, followed by about one hundred men, he sought revenge. About two hundred Austrians took sides with the foreman, and the opposition forces fought for ten minutes. Pistols, clubs, knives and stones were used. Two white foremen were fired upon, but escaped to Laramie. Officers went to the scene, and the rioters were loaded on cars and sent out of the State.

Russian Fight with Chinese.

Berlin, April 6.—A dispatch to the Cologne Gazette from St. Petersburg, says hard fighting is reported to have occurred between the First, Second and Third East Siberian rifle regiments and several thousand Chinese troops between Kobantsy and Sinmin Ting. The Russians lost a captain and several men killed, and a lieutenent colonel, several other officers and many men wounded with the Russians pursuing them.

The date of the engagement is not mentioned in the dispatch received.

The Merrimac Blown Up.

Santiago, April 6.—The collier Merrimac, which was blown up and sunk in the harbor by Constructor Hobson while Admiral Cervera's fleet was inside in 1898, was successfully destroyed by a ton of dynamite today. Hitherto it has been extremely dangerous for vessels to attempt the narrow entrance to the harbor, but now that this wreck has been destroyed it is perfectly safe. A great crowd of people on shore witnessed the blowing up of the old hulk.

Surrender at San Fernando.

Washington, April 6.—The War Department this morning received the following cablegram from General MacArthur, dated Manila, April 6th:

"Nineteen officers, 173 men, 133 rifles, nine revolvers, Pablo Tecson's command surrendered at San Fernando yesterday and took the oath."

Gold Discovered in the Philippines.

Manila, April 5.—Promising gold discoverings are reported from the Island of Masbate (close to the Southern extremity of Luzon.)

Weldon National Bank Authorized to Begin Business.

Washington, April 4.—The First National Bank of Weldon, capital $25,000, has been authorized to begin business.

Lived to be 101 Years Old.

Knoxville, Tenn., April 6.—Mrs. Mary Frye, aged 101 years, died suddenly yesterday at Limesrone Cove. She had never been ill.

CONVICTS BRUTALLY TREATED.

Florida System Investigated by a Legislative Committee—Horrible Tales of Inhuman Treatment.

Tallahassee, Fla., April 4.—The special committee authorized by the last legislature and appointed by ex-Gov. Bloxham to investigate the convict lease system in this State, referred to at the time in the concurrent resolution as "a shame upon the fair name of Florida," reported to day and submitted a measure intended as a remedy for the present conditions. The report was made by Senator Crill. It finds that the present system "does not meet the demands of an enlightened convict system in accord with humane treatment of prisoners." It says that the subleasees are paying for the convicts they employ under their sub-leases prices far in excess of the price the original contractor leased them at, prices ranging from $60 to $180 per year for each convict.

The report carries with it a bill providing that State convicts shall be controlled by a commission of three members whose duties and powers shall be prescribed by law; that a State penitentiary shall be established at Marianna, where all females and youths shall be employed on State farm work. It provides further that the commission shall establish State farms for the convicts.

The present system works all of the convicts, regardless of sex or age, under the lease system principally in the phosphate mines and turpentine camps.

Horrible tales of brutality or bad treatment are frequently heard. In Hillsboro County to-day a special committee appointed by the county commissioners has been investigating charges of inhumanity made against some of the lessees in that county. This action results from the story of James Miller, a white convict, who alleges that he was thrown to the ground, a negro was made to sit on his head, while four others held his hands and feet, and in that condition he was unmercifully whipped. He alleges that Susie Brown, a woman convict, was stripped and held upon the ground in the same way whipped He alleges a number of other instances of equal or more revolting brutality.

Eaten by an Alligator.

City of Mexico, April 6.—News has just been received of the horrible death of Lieutenant Jose Carmona, a popular young officer of the engineer corps, who was graduated from the military academy at Chapultepec four years ago. Lieutenant Carmona was in bathing in the Tames river, near Tampico, where he was stationed, when his companions warned him that a monstrous alligator was making for him. He made desperate efforts to escape, but was seized and devoured in the presence of his companions just before he could gain footing on the bank.

Scarlet Fever Closes a College.

College Park, Md., April 4.—The Maryland Agricultural College was closed yesterday, and all of the students went to their homes on account of four cases of scarlet fever in the institution. Those who have the fever are Cadet Capt. H. C. Whiteford, of the senior class; T. M. Underwood, and John Hopkins. School was to have closed to-morrow. Mr. Whiteford was captain of the base-ball team, and it is thought his illness will prevent the team taking its Easter practice trip through Virginia.

Lieut. Gov. Hunt Takes Possession of the Executive Mansion.

San Juan, P. R, April 4.—Persistent rumors of the impending re-ignation of Gov. Allen, now on his way to the United States, are in circulation in San Juan.

Mr. William H. Hunt, secretary of Porto Rico and acting governor, reiterates his denial of any intimation from Mr. Allen of such an intention; but it is regarded as significant that Mr. Hunt moved his family and effects to-day into the executive mansion.

Robbers have a Desperate Fight with Watchman.

Chardon, Ohio, April 4.—Half a dozen robbers this morning blew open the safe of the Citizens' Savings Bank. After a desperate fight with the night watchman, Pomeroy, and Dr, Hudson, they succeeded in escaping with two hundred dollars. One of the robbers was shot by the night watchman before the latter was gagged.

Left Arm Torn Off.

Davis, W. Va., April 4.—Jacob McDonald, an employee of the Blackwater mill here, was fatally injured yesterday by having his left arm caught in a rapidly revolving wheel, and torn entirely off. McDonald was married, and about thirty-five years old.

Election Judge Arrested.

Denver, Colo., April 6.—Frank Fisher, a judge in the twentieth precinct of the Ninth ward at the recent city election, was arrested today. He is accused of having mutilated about one hundred ballots cast by Republicans, thus causing them to be thrown out.

A Big Shipment of Havana Tobacco.

New York, April 4.—The steamer Mexico, which arrived to-night from Havana, was delayed two and a half days at Havana, waiting for a shipment of tobacco. She brought the largest cargo of tobacco ever shipped from the port of Havana, having on board over 7,000 bales.

COLLEGE GIRLS TRIED TO ELOPE.

A General fight Ensued between the President and the would be Grooms

Chicago, Ills., April 4.—A special to the Chronicle from Owensburg, Ky, says:

"A sensation that happened in Bowling Green last Saturday night held the undivided attention of the grand jury today. The affair comprehends an interrupted elopment of five young women from Potter College, Bowling Green, one of the prominent seminaries for young women in the South.

"About midnight five young men, all members of wealthy families, drove in carriages to the college and with ladders aided four young women to leave the building, by climbing through the second story windows. While assisting the fifth one to the ground the young men made so much noise that President Cabell was aroused. Seizing a shotgun the president began shooting at the young men who returned his fire. Two of the young men were wounded, but the president was not hurt. The girls screamed, but returned to their rooms and the swains went away without them."

The Five Men Arrested

Bowling Green, Ky., April 5.—Five young men, belonging to some of the wealthiest families of Bowling Green, were indicted by the grand jury to-day, for alleged participating in the escapade at Potter's College Saturday night in which several young women attending the college were also involved.

Those indicted are Roland Fitch, Willis Potter, Pleasant Potter, Floyd M. Nahm and Harry Nahm. It is charged that they placed a ladder under a window of the college, and when Prof. Cobell, president of the college, shot at them, they returned the fire, but without wounding him. The young men declare they intended to take the girls to a supper.

A Negro Woman 109 years old Burned to Death.

Wilmington, N. C., April 4.—In a fire in the negro quarters of the city this afternoon Hannah Richardson, a colored woman, reported to have been 109 years of age, was horribly burned to death. She was in the house alone, and when members of the family reached the scene and opened the door the interior was one mass of flames. The body was burned almost beyond identification. The old woman's age was recently brought to light by a visit from a census enumerator who was shown her age in the usual Bible record as a corroboration of the statement.

Lieut. Boyer Charged with the Theft of Fifty Cases of Bacon.

Manila, April 5.—Lieut. Frederick Boyer, of the Thirty-ninth volunteer infantry, chief commissary for the second district of the Department of Southern Luzon, has arrived at Calamba, Province of Laguana, where he has been charged with misappropriating fifty cases of bacon and with other irregularities. It is alleged that the shortage in the commissary depot in Manila aggregate $185,000.

The accounts of the custom house, internal revenue department and license office have been inspected and are reported perfectly straight.

Man Found Dead in the road near Greenville.

Goldsboro, N. C., April 4.—A white man was found dead in the road near the river at Greenville yesterday. From a gentleman from there it is learned that considerable mystery hangs around this death. On yesterday the deceased was granted a divorce from his wife, and it seems was en route home, judging from the direction taken on leaving town. There was no mark of violence on the body.

Even the Horses Thought it a Rotten Play.

Washington Post.

A pair of horses used in the New York production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" rebelled and jumped off the stage the other night. The intelligence of the horse continues to assert itself.

A Shirt Waist Causes Trouble.

Washington Post.

A North Carolina judge got into a street fight because, at the suggestion of his wife, he took the pains to admire the pretty shirt waist of another man's wife. The attractive things in shirt waists always did cause more or less trouble.

Canadian Government Collects Heavy Revenue on Coal.

Washington, April 4.—The discovery of coal in the Klondike has induced the Canadian government to issue an order that royalty shall be paid on coal as well as on gold. Dawson consumers have protested at the resulting rise in coal prices.

Sentenced to ten Years Imprisonment.

Maj. W. H. Martin, ex-clerk in State Treasures office was, sentenced to ten years imprisonment in the penitentiary for misappropriating some of the penitentiary funds. The amount not yet known.

The Curfew Law in Force in Danville.

Danville, Va., Bee.

The curfew bell was heard for the first time in Danville last night. The festive kids had taken heed. It was hard to find a man on the streets after half past 8 o'clock, to say nothing of the boys.

DYING OF HUNGER.

THE POPULATION OF INDIA REDUCED BY FAMINE AND CHOLERA

THE DECREASE IN CENTRAL PROVINCES

Five Millions have died since 1896 from Causes directly due to Famine—since 1891 it has been over a Million when the increase should have been over a Million and a half.

London, April 6.—The depopulation of India through famine and cholera is assuming alarming proportions. The latest advices from Simla say the census returns of the central provinces show a decrease of over a million since 1801, when under normal conditions an increase of a million and a half might have been expected.

It is estimated that five millions have died in India since 1896 from causes directly due to the famine. In Western India things are even worse. The Oodeypoor State returns show a decrease of 840,000 or forty-five per cent of the population; the State of Bhopaul shows a decrease of 808,000; the district of Banda shows a decrease of 124,000. In Bombay city the population has diminished by fifty thousand souls.

The localties which escaped the plague, show a satisfactory though uncompensating increase. For instance, Madras, which has gained eight per cent over 1891.

A Big Snake Story.

Freemont Visitor.

A wonderful story comes from the grader's camp on the Great Eastern, on the Mill Branch just back of T. E. Yelverton's. Last Friday a negro hand was taken with convulsions and after some time vomited up a snake ten inches long. The negro immediately got better and as he walked about among the crowd the snake would follow him. Later the snake was caught and put in a bottle and when the man who had vomited it would go near the bottle the snake would exhibit great concern, paying no attention to any one else. We give the story as it was told us.

FIRED INTO STEAMER, GREENWOOD.

Five Persons, including a Lady, Wounded by Seeley's Reckless Shot

Point Pleasant, W. Va., April 5.—William Seeley, living in a shanty boat on the Kanawha, when the steamer Greenwood was passing out of the river fired into the boat with a shotgun, wounding five persons, among them a woman.

Seeley claims some one tried to flirt with his wife, which aroused him so that he picked up the gun and blazed away at the boat. Seeley had escaped before they could get to him.

A Better Demand for Yarn.

Charlotte, N. C., April 4th.—For the first time in many days the yarn market is reported as showing considerable activity, one commission house having purchased in the neighborhood of one hundred thousand pounds of yarns.

This state of affairs is attributed to the belief that cotton is more scarce than supposed. It is further predicted that cotton will continue upward and that mills will not sell any lower, but will advance yarn within the course of a few days or a week.

Georgia Fruit Crop Not Materially Damaged.

Griffin, Ga., April 4.—Commissioner of Agriculture O. B. Stevens has just returned from a trip through southwest Georgia, the fruit section of the State. He says there is no indication of serious injury to the fruit crop from the recent cold weather and he regards it as now out of danger. Mr. Stevens says Georgia farmers, as a rule, are not going to increase the cotton acreage.

Prize Fighting in Manila.

Washington, April 4.—Prize fighting is one of the sports introduced in the Philippines by the American army. Soldiers have organized the Manila Athletic Club in the Philippine capital, and sparring bouts are of weekly occurrence. According to latest advices a fight for the championship of the islands is scheduled to take place there on the 25th instant.

To Remodel Wake County Jail.

Raleigh Times.

Chairman Green, of the board of county commissioners, has the matter of changing the jail in charge. This will certainly be done at an early date, and adequate provision will be made for female prisoners so that they will be in a different wing from the males, and not hear language used by them.

Many More Massacred.

Vancouver, B. C., April 4.—"The North China News," announces the massacre of fourteen unaccounted for missionaries, with many women and children.

The Governor has appointed Mr. Francis D. Winston Judge of the second Judicial district and Mr. G. A. Jones Judge of the sixth district.

THE LECISLATURE MET WEDNESDAY.

Only four Senators present Nothing of Importance was done Except to Vote away more of the People's money.

The Legislature met again last Wednesday afternoon, but transacted very little business of importance There were only four Senators present.

They were: Arrington of Nash, Broughton of Wake, Woodard of Wilson, and Glenn of Guilford.

Senator Broughton sent forward a bill providing that Wake county be stricken from the Foushee legalized primary law, and asked that it be placed upon its immediate passage. The bill passed its final reading.

The following bills from the House were received, passed and ordered enrolled:

Senate 1671, H. B. 2267—Bill supplemental to an act to appoint members of the county board of education.

S. B. 1642, H. B. 2266—Bill supplemental to an act entitled an act to provide for the division of the State into judicial districts and to provide for holding the courts therein, ratified March 11, 1901.

S. B 1673, H. B. 2260—Bill supplemental to an act amendatory of an act to establish a stock law in certain portions of Wayne county.

S. B. 1676, H. B 2261—Resolution to pay clerks and other employes mileage for their attendance upon the present session of the General Assembly.

S. B. 1678, H. B. 2265—Bill to amend chapter 203, private laws of 1899.

S. B. 1681, H. B 2268—Bill supplemental to an act entitled an act relating to fees of witnesses in certain cases, ratified March 14, 1901.

Senator Woodard introduced a resolution providing that the clerk of the judiciary committee, Mr. McCall, be allowed mileage, as were other employes of the Assembly. Senator Woodard afterward withdrew the bill.

At the request of Senator Broughton the resolution providing for the payment of $100 to Judge T. B Womack for services in preparing the bill for the division of the State into sixteen judicial districts, was taken from the calendar and put upon its third reading. The bill passed its final reading.

HOUSE.—There were only eleven members present in the House.

The Speaker requested that some one move to concur in the Senate amendment to the bill providing for compulsory education in Mitchell county. He said Representative Burlison of Mitchell was anxious to have this bill ratified.

Mr. Allen of Wayne introduced H. B. 2260, which was an act amending the bill relating to the stock law in a certain township in Wayne. "I think I have lobbied sufficiently to get this bill through." The bill passed its readings.

Mr. Winston introduced resolution 2261, authorizing the payment of mileage to clerks and employes. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Watts of Iredell introduced H. B. 2262, which made the act relating to the fees of witnesses in certain cases applicable to Iredell and Bertie counties. The bill passed its readings.

H. L 2263 was introduced by Mr. Hood of Wayne, and it passed without opposition. This bill corrects an error increasing the capital stock of the Goldsboro Lumber Company from $100,000 to $300,000.

THURSDAY.

President Pro Tem. London called the Senate to order. There were four Senators present, London, Arrington, Woodard and Broughton.

A resolution from the House that the General Assembly adjourn sine die at 12:30 was passed.

House bill to increase the number of commissioners of Iredell county to five, to become effective after the next general election, was passed.

House bill to supplement an act to amend chapter 82, private laws of 1899, was passed.

A bill introduced by Senator Woodard increasing the number of commissioners for Wilson county to five after 1902 was passed.

President London then ratified the bills awaiting his signature.

A House bill authorizing all persons required to give bond to the State of North Carolina to give the same in surety and guarantee companies was passed.

HOUSE—The House met at noon, Speaker Moore presided. Bills were introduced as follws:

By Winston, to amend the act allowing Craven county to issue bonds, by striking out the provision that the smallest bond should be $10,000 to make it $10, as was intended.

By Watts to increase the number of county commissioners in Wilson and Iredell.

By Winston, to authorize all persons required to give bond to the State to give security in guaranty companies. All these passed.

A resolution to adjourn at 12:30 was adopted and the clock was set back.

A bill passed abolishing the office of enrolling clerk and placing that matter in the hands of the Secretary of State.

The following bills were ratified: Amending the judicial district act of 1901; amending the Wayne stock law act; amending chapter 203, private laws, 1899; to allow clerks per diem and mileage for this adjourned session; to regulate fees of wintnesses and officers in Iredell county; to strike out Wake from the primary election act; to allow the people of Mitchell county to vote on a compulsory school attendance law; to amend the county board of education act so far as Iredell is concerned; to provide for the publication of all the proceedings of the court of impeachment; to increase number of commissioners in Iredell county; to abolish the office of enrolling clerk; to increase number of commissioners in Wilson.

NOAH RABY 129 YEARS OLD.

A Native of North Carolina Now in a a New Jersey Poor House.

For more than half a century Noah Raby, born a subject of King George III., in the latter's colony of North Carolina, has been an inmate of the poor farm in Piscataway township, near New Brunswick, N. J., and last Tuesday he celebrated the 129th anniversary of his birth.

Raby has smoked a pipe since he was five years of age, and is a great lover of tobacco in any form. He has not partaken of ardent spirits in a long time, principally because he could not get them, but for the best time of his life, indulged in liquor, malt and spirituous, in moderation.

The old man has grown very weak during the last year, and his birthday was the quietest he has known in many years. The occasion is usually a gala at the poor farm, the farmers from miles around having been in the habit of bringing their wives and daughters to do honor to the man who was alive when the Declaration of Independence was signed. Last year the reception was so fatiguing that it was feared that the old man would die from the effects of the kindnesses showered upon him by the visitors.

Raby says that he was born April 1, 1772. He remembers to have heard General George Washington make an address at Yorktown about the year 1790. About the beginning of the last century he joined the United States navy, in which he remained until the breaking out of the second war with England, when he went back to North Carolina, but the girl whom he expected to marry proving fickle, he left that part of the country and went to New Jersey. He settled in Piscataway township, and has continued to live there ever since. About fifty years ago he became an inmate of the poorhouse. He has never married, and has neither kith nor kin in this part of the country.

Raby's father was an Indian, and he himself has always lived an outside life. This fact is held to be partly responsible for his longevity. —Exchange.

BRITISH LOSSES IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Casualties for Last Month, and Death list for Entire Campaign.

London, April 4.—The British casualties in South Africa continue high. The totals for the month of March are: Killed, 9 officers and 103 men; wounded, 26 officers and 270 men.

The casualties during the war to the end of March were: Deaths—Officers, 690; men, 13,734. Missing—Officers, 17; men, 758. Died after returning—Officers, 4; men, 300. Discharged as unfit for duty, 2,189.

The letter of Gen. Botha, the Boer commander-in-chief, to Lord Kitchener, commanding the British forces in South Africa, preliminary to the recent peace meeting, casually referred to in Lieut. Gen. Kitchener's report of the negotiations, and from which the opponents of Colonial Secretary Chamberlain hoped to obtain some clew of the recent failure of the conferences, was published as a parliamentary paper this morning. The letter is dated at the commandant general's camp February 13, and, commences with a reference to "the verbal message from your excellency." Continuing, the letter says:

"I have the honor to inform your excellency that no one desires more than I do to bring this bloody strife to an end. I would also very much like to meet your excellency for the purpose of mutual discussion to see if it is not possible to discover terms under which this can be done."

The remainder of the letter of Gen. Botha is of no importance. It merely suggests a place of meeting, and arrangements for the guarantee of safe conduct.

New Orleans, April 4.—The South American cleared to-day with 1,000 mules for Cape Town.

Must Stop Chicken Fighting in Richmond.

Richmond, Va., April 4.—Sports of all kinds were in the police court today for being mixed up in a cock fight yesterday. Agent Taylor, of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, with two police officers, arrested B. W. Steinburg and E. King last night, charged with carrying on the fight, and Thomas Vial for allowing it in his place. The society has been making a test of the cock-fighting business. The attorney for the accused pleaded guilty and threw himself on the mercy of the court. It was agreed that a cock was an animal and came under the society's jurisdiction. The men were fined $20 each and severely reprimanded, the police justice warning them that if they repeated the offence they would get $100 fine and six months in jail. The justice says he is determined to break up cock-fighting in this city as a nuisance and demoralizing to the young.

Three Commissions Signed.

Washington, April 4.—The president today signed the commissions of Frederick Funston and Jacob H. Smith to be brigadier generals, and of Lloyd Wheaton to be a major general.

A CHASTLY STORY.

SAILORS ADRIFT FORTY DAYS ON A RAFT WITHOUT FOOD.

ONLY TWO OF THE NUMBER SURVIVE.

They First ate Barnacles and sea Weeds, then Began Eating each other.

London, April 9.—The Singapore correspondent of The Daily Express wires a ghastly story of cannibalism at sea, brought to Singaporey two survivors of the Nova Scotian bark Angola, wrecked six days' sail from Manila, October 23rd last. The correspondent says: "The survivors, Johnnsen, a Swede, and Martiscornu, a Spaniard, assert that the Anglo struck a reef. Two rafts were built. The smaller, bearing five men, disappeared. The other, with twelve men, drifted for 40 days. The sailors ate barnacles, sea weed and finally their boots. On the twenty-fifth day two became insane and killed themselves. On the twenty-sixth a Frenchman killed the mate with an axe, drank his blood and tried to eat his brains, but was prevented by the others. Next day the Frenchman was killed while attempting to murder the captain. The survivors, all of whom were now insane, ate the Frenchman's body. Cannibalism continued until only Johnnsen and Marticornu remained. On the forty-second day the raft stranded at Saubi, or Flat Island, in the Natuna group, northwest of Borneo. Johnnsen and Marticornu were awfully emaciated. Friendly Malays sent them by junk to Singapore."

"THE CUBAN CAVALRY"

A Cartoon That Caused the Suppression of a Newspaper in Cuba.

Havana, April 6.—The Discussion has been suppressed by order of Governor General Wood, and its officers have been closed and sealed. This action was due to the publication in The Discussion yesterday of an illustration having the title of "The Cuban Cavalry," representing the Cuban republic personified in a Cuban soldier being crucified being represented as one thief and and President McKinley as the other, both being labelled with their names. Senator Platt was represented as a Roman soldier giving vinegar and gall in the form of the Platt Amendment, while Public Opion, as Mary Magdalen, was weeping at the foot of the cross. Below was the following inscription:

"Destiny will not reserve for us a glorious resurrection."

The picture caused much unfavorable comment yesterday, from the standpoint of decency. The editor of the paper, Senor Corando, was arrested but was released on bail.

It is probable that no other action will be taken against The Discussion than suppressing its publication for several days. Senor Capote, President of the Cuban Constitutional Convention has visited Gen. Wood and told the latter that the Convention individually and as a body regretted the publication of this caricature. Senor Capote said the picture misrepresented the feelings of the Cubans, who held Gen. Wood and President McKinley in the greatest respect and were deeply grateful to them. On his solicitation, Gen. Wood allowed the Discussion to continue publication, but the Judge of the Correctional Court will prefer charges, the character of which is to be determined later, against Editor Coranado.

Editor Coranado and Castellanos, the cartoonist, will be tried on a charge of criminal libel. The former is held under $1,000 bond and the latter in the sum of $500.

Tried to Burn his Wife.

Patterson, N.J., April 6.—Patrick Bunningham, in a drunken frenzy, tried to burn his wife to death today. The woman had been out washing at a neighbor's and had come in tired and worn out. She lay down on a lounge in their scantily furnisheded home. Cunningham entered shortly afterward, and finding that she was asleep crept to her side, set her on fire and then sneaked out of the house. Fortunately the flames leaped up where her bare head was lying and she awoke in pain before the fire got much of a hold. While she was fighting the fire Cunningham returned and attacked her with a pair of scissors and tried to stab her to death. The police arrived in time to save her.

Crazed on Love.

New York Sun.

The belief of Joseph Joyce, aged 17, of 199 Hamburg avenue, Williamsburg, that every girl he looked at was in love with him drove him insane. He first showed symptoms on Tuesday. His parents quieted him but on Thursday night he had a violent outbreak. An ambulance was called from the Eastern District Hospital early yesterday morning. Joyce embraced Dr. Vogt, the ambulance surgeon, under the impression the doctor was his sweetheart. He was taken to the Flabush Asylum.

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SHOULD THE JUDGES RESIGN?

It is at least remarkable that some of the newspapers that were rampant for the impeachment and conviction of Judges Furches and Douglas have recently been suggesting that these judges should resign, now that they have been acquitted by the High Court of Impeachment of the grave charges preferred against them

In this connection it occurs to us to say, that as seen by common lights along common lines of thinking, the time for these judges to entertain the notion of resigning closed with the preferring of the articles of impeachment by the House of Representatives, and that this peaceful method of retiring is now suggestable only to their prosecutors.

It would have been cowardly of course, for the judges to resign under fire, but with a partisan majority against them in both Houses and a partisan prosecution and conviction staring them in the face, weaker men, men less conscious of their own rectitude, might have delivered their coveted belongings to their greedy pursurers and sought safety from their fury in disgrace by the easy route of an early resignation. But this they did not do, and would not do; but said effectually to those that sought to disgrace and humiliate them and the State, "We will stand the trial and take the disgrace in a brave and lawful way, if it be the determined plan of the majority to have our places even at the cost of humiliating the State along with us.

These judges, having trusted not in vain in their own integrity and in the integrity as well of Senators in and out of their own party, were acquitted with satisfaction to themselves and honor to the Commonwealth; and being acquitted, they of course retain their offices, the greed for which lay at the bottom of the prosecution; and now the hungry horde having failed, they suggest that these judges resign.

A hungry man went on the road and fiercely fought his adversary for meat. He spent his bitter strength in fruitless struggle. Then lifting up his pleading hands in pathos mild, he said, "I tried to rob you but failed; none the less I pray you, give me your meat and go on your way empty-handed; I do not think that you ought to eat meat any way."

But, when the vote was taken and the bright light waned that had twinkled in Craig's dark firmament, he could with propriety have resigned.

When the vote was taken and Rountree's pleased contempt for all the defense failed him, he could with grace have thrown up the sponge.

When the vote was taken and night swept over the customary gloom of Graham's dark countenance, he could with propriety have resigned.

When the vote was taken and the picnic joy of Allen's rosy face fled like a frightened child at his failure to disgrace the memory of Judge Faircloth, his old-time friend, partner, and benefactor, there would have been no impropriety in his resignation.

And all those who, while catching at new power and trying to do themselves and their friends unlawful good and their opponents unlawful harm, under appearance of zealous and passionate love of the constitution and right acted deceitfully and falsely—all such could properly hear, but not make, a proposition to resign.

If Judge Furches or Judge Douglas had sought from his high position on the bench to remove his colleagues to advance himself and had failed in his attempt, resignation could be properly suggested to him, and the suggestion acted upon with propriety.

IN DISTRESS.

The News and Observer is in dire distress. That sheet failed to secure the impeachment of the Judges, and any one who reads the editorials since the trial can not fail to be impressed with the direful and plaintive sounds that emanate from the editorial rooms of that paper.

But one thing sounds strange indeed is that the News and Observer should have the temerity to speak of "political corporations and trusts."

Pray, tell us quickly if the Democratic Redshirt Revolutionist machine is not the greatest political trust and monopoly in existence on earth to-day? The opposition are denied any rights at the ballot box whatever. If this is not a trust and monopoly of the worst form, pray define a trust.

TREASURER NEEDS FUNDS.

In a recent issue of THE CAUCASIAN we called attention to the enormous appropriations made by the legislature, and the probability of a deficit in the Treasury. Treasury Lacy has issued a letter to the sheriffs of the State to hurry up their collections in order that he may be able to meet these appropriations as they become due.

In short it seems that this urgent letter of the Treasurer is to prepare the people in advance so that they may not be surprised or alarmed when the Treasury becomes bankrupt owing to the extravagant, wreckless and enormous appropriations made by the legislatures of 1899 and 1901.

But the "party of good, honest government" is in power, doncher know, and would it not be almost criminal to think that they could or would waste the people's money?

Indeed, in their own estimation they are the only ones capable of managing the affairs of the State

And such management! No racial prejudice can again divert the minds of independent thinkers, and the Redshirt Revolutionists will yet have to answer for their extravagance and general conduct at the great bar of public opinion. They shall be judged according to their deeds, with no "nigger" to hide behind.

ABOUT THE COTTON ACREAGE.

The sudden decline in the price of cotton should have the effect of compelling a large reduction in the acreage of the fleecy staple. If this is not very generally done throughout the cotton belt it is certain that the price will be lower next fall. It is far better to cultivate and fertilize very thoroughly a reduced acreage, because better results are attained in every way; the price will be higher, the land will be left in better condition and less labor will be required.

These are three items that enter largely into consideration and should not be disregarded.

In writing these suggestions as to the curtailment of the cotton acreage, we are prompted solely by the desire to subserve the best interests of our farming population, and we trust that they will give this matter earnest consideration, for it is one of the highest importance to them.

It is better to receive ten cents for an eight million bale crop than six cents for an eleven million crop.

With the reduction of the cotton acreage there should follow a diversefication of crops.

In this way the lands will be improved and there is greater certainty of realizing profits as a result of well directed efforts

REWARDED AT LAST.

Francis D. Winston has been appointed Judge by Governor Aycock There is a trite, but true old saying, that "everything comes to him who waits." Mr. Winston sought the nomination for Judge at the hands of a "nigger" convention in 1890, and though he succeeded in obtaining it, he failed of election, and of course did not have the GOOD FORTUNE or "great pleasure" in riding the district with his friend, the negro Solicitor, Geo. H. White.

In early days Mr. Winston was indeed very fond of his "colored brother" when there was any prospect of obtaining office through that source. He was always prominent in the councils and conventions of the Republican party, and has been seen to walk the streets of Tarboro arm in arm with negro politicians.

LET THEM BE DECENT AND DIGNIFIED.

Hon. Cy. Watson in his speech in the impeachment trial said:

"I have seen legislators scaffed at and called a mob. It's got to the point where it is looked upon with contumely and contempt, and it's time for this branch of our State government to assert itself and take the position the fathers designed it should take."

When a legislature comes into power by riot, lawlessness, anarchy and revolution, and continues to act in the most revolutionary manner it should deserve to be called a mob. When legislatures act with decency, decorum and dignity they will receive and deserve the respect of the people, not otherwise.

They will then take the "position the fathers designed they should take" and not before.

THE SECRET LET OUT.

Representative Spainhour of Burke in an interview after the acquittal of the Judges, said:

"It was the almost universal opinion of the Democratic party last year that it was necessary for the Legislature to stand guard over the Constitutional amendment to prevent the Supreme court from interfering with it. The general opinion then was that they would destroy it if they had an opportunity to do so, and that is my opinion still."

Now, you have the whole secret given away. The impeachment proceedings as this paper charged in the beginning, were instituted for the purpose of removing the Judges in order that the highest court of the State might be packed with Democratic machine partisan who would be certain to the bidding of the Red shirt Revolutionists now in control of the State. Spainhour may have been indiscreet in the above utterance, but he no doubt told the truth about the matter.

But the Redshirts have received a severe rebuke in their revolutionary effort to pack the court.

IT DEPENDS UPON WHOSE OX IS GORED.

Extract from Ex-Gov. Jarvis' Speech in The Impeachment Trial.

You impeach these judges for what you call partisan decisions, In the corporation commission case they declared that Abbott, who was a railroad commissioner, was entitled to his term of office as a corporation commissioner and that you could not put Beddingfield, the Democrat, in his place.

This decision also settled another thing. After the adjournment of the legislature of 1899—your legislature and my legislature, because I helped to bring it here—the railroads, when the corporation commission attempted to assess and tax the railroad property in the State, went before a Federal judge and got an injunction restraining the corporation commissioners from assessing and taxing their property. The railroad lawyers used before Simonton precisely the same arguments that the lawyers for the prosecution of these judges have used here in this trial, and Simonton decided that the corporation commission had no power to assess railroad property, and if the corporation did not have it, the legislature of 1899 had failed to give this power to anybody in North Carolina. Simonton said that the legislature of 1899 either accidentaly or intentionally had failed to provide for the assessment and taxation of railroad property in North Carolina. If this decision of Simtou had stood our great legislature of 1899 would have been the laughing stock of the whole State, from one end of it to the other; and that decision of Simonton would have stood, but for the decision of these two judges and the late Chief Justice in the case of Abbott vs. Beddingfield. This court, considering the act of 1891 establishing the corporation commission and all the acts amendatory thereof as one act continuing the same office and providing specifically for the same duties to be performed, declared that every power of taxation which had been possessed by the railroad commissioners belonged to the corporation commission. Then the lawyers of the State took this decision and went post-haste before Judge Simonton, but Simonton said, "I must follow the construction of your State courts upon a State statute." Because of this $40,000,000 of railroad property were put upon the tax lists and the taxes compelled to be paid to the people of the State of North Carolina. It is true we lost Beddingfield, but the people of North Carolina gained $50,000 and more than $50,000 in just taxes on railroad property, and our legislature was saved from being the laughing stock of the State.

Again, Senators, if there is one thing that stands nearer my heart than any other in North Carolina it is the asylums for the care of the insane in the State. Thirty years ago, when I was speaker of the House of Representatives and a Republican was in charge of the asylum just outside of this city, a bill was introduced looking to his removal. I left my chair and went down the floor and what voice and influence I had I raised against that proceeding and stated that these institutions should not be carried into politics; and so a Republican was retained at the head of this great institution.

Again when I became Governor of North Carolina the asylum was established at Morganton. Men gathered around me and said, "Appoint this man" and that man as director of this institution "in order that we may elect a certain man." But I said "No. I will appoint a board of directors from among the best men that I can find in North Carolina, and all the restriction that I shall put upon them shall be this: Go and find the best man that you can and put him at the head of that institution." And they selected a man, and he has held his place at the head of the Morganton Asylum ever since.

In the case of Wood vs. Bellamy when the Legislature of 1895 attempted to take charge of the insane asylums and to oust Dr. Miller at Goldsboro, Dr, Kirby at Raleigh, and Dr. Murphy at Morganton, it was this court that rendered the decision against its own political associates and retained the Democrats in their places. And remember, Senators, this case was decided upon principles laid down in the case of Hoke vs. Henderson, the same principle which controlled the decision of the court in the cases for which it is attempted to impeach these judges, But the Abbott vs. Beddingfield case was decided upon the old doctrine of imperi materia, which required that all acts relating to the same subject should be construed together; and further remember, Senators, that this White case was decided on the two principles of Hoke vs. Henderson and imperi materia.

Now, Senators, even if they were guilty of the things which are charged against them, shall we forget the great good they have done for the people? Shall they be judged by the small faults of their lives or by their great virtues? I pray God that neither I, Senators, nor you may ever be judged in such a manner, either in this life or in the life to come.—Ex-Governor Thomas J. Jarvis.

A Drunken Negro Falls Under a Moving Train.

High Point, N. C., April 8 —Last night Sidney Threadgill (colored), an employe at the depot here, jumped the north-bound mail train at the station and rode within a few feet of Main street crossing, where he jumped off. In doing so his feet got under the cars and in consequence were dismembered about the ankles. His skull was also mashed, caused by striking the ground with much force. The negro was under the influence of liquor. Dr. D. A. Stanton, the Southern Railway surgeon, took the negro in charge and early this morning amputated the mangled portions of his legs. At this writing the negro is alive.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

What "Squib" Thinks of Things in General.

Oom Paul seems to be passing his hat around since he quit his gold-diamond fields.

Why not impeach the Democratic Judge for holding his eyes too long on somebody elses wife's waist?

The civil service law ought to be amended so that nobody but an Ohio man should be eligible to pie.

Somebody ought to have kidnapped the legislature and no reward should have been offered for its return.

Mrs. Nation's outfit in the lecturing field having failed to pan out a eureka she is forced to return to the smashing business and take a new start.

Mayor Waddell, of Wilmington, seems to be fond of revolutionary methods—meanwhile onlookers are interested in permitting the bloody village to "stew in its own mess."

The consensus of opinion among the Democratic press as to the nolle pros idea is only remarkable as if it were a virtue for registrars to violate the law and subjugate their oath.

It seems that the filing of explanations was almost entirely confined to those who voted for getting the offices of Furches and Douglas. Did not know it was loaded perhaps.

Bellamy and Mears, of Wilmington joined hands and fought the "nigger" last year over a matter of "principle" now they tear loose and fight each other over a matter of pie.

Van Wyck, the ice trust mayor of New York, is claimed to be blood-kind to North Carolina; such a claim is also set up for General Funston in a remote degree. How about Aguinaldo?

Capitalists do not invest their money in enterprises in order to increase the prosperity of somebody else and incidenally of the country too but only as a prospective productive investment.

Mr. Claude Kithen, new member of Congress, advertises for a candidate for West Point cadetship, and among other requirements the boy must tell the complexion of his politics This is not only a new idea but one which is likely to handicap the lad in after life. The army and navy are above the arena of politics.

Our Democratic cotton mill trusts are almost as obnoxious as the ice, coal and sugar trusts. We buy Haw River Mills plaids in New York cheaper than at the factory.

Wine which has taken a tour across the equator and around the world certainly improves in quality but it is astonishing how an article that is manufactured at our doors can cheapen itself by a 500 mile trip to New York.

A Lady School Teacher Saves Thirteen from Drowning.

Omaha, April 8.—A special from Harrison, Neb., says an extraordinincident of the White River floods developed here this morning when Miss Lizzie Cottman saved thirteen children from drowning. Incidentally it may be mentioned that the daring woman also saved schoolhouse No. 19 for the Sioux county tax-payers. The building, a small wooden affair, occupied a small glade one hundred yards from the banks of the White river. The stream has in the past few days reached the proportions of a torrent because of the melting snow and rain. Gradually the water backed into the ravine, and this morning when Miss Cottman arrived the school-children were making merry in the building, which was nealy surrounded by water. An hour later Miss Cottman was frightened by hearing the water passing under the house with a roaring sound, which gradually increased. The land was twenty feet away, and the water there was deep. She struggled through to dry land. Then she grabbed a horse which one of the children had ridden to school. From a stable she took a rope, and, leading the horse back, plunged again into the torrent. The rope she fastened around the horse's neck, and the other end she made fast to the door jamb of the building. By this time the building was floating and ready to drift into the flood It required desperate work to swim the horse back to the shore, and Miss Cottman was forced to hold its head above the water to keep it from drowning. The animal dragged the building close to shore and it was tied to a tree and the children sent home.

And Still Another Scrap in Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., April 8—Minnie Breece, a white man aged 21 years was shot and killed here at 7 o clock tonight by Lout Hardison, another young white man. The two men were discussing the physical strength of an acquaintance, and the discussion developed into a quarrel, which led to Breece stabbing Hardison in the face with a knife. Breece ran, and as he did so Hardison drew his pistol and fired at his fleeing assailant. Breece ran into a store near by and fell dead. Hardison is being pursued by officers.

ACUINALDO SIGNS THE DOCUMENT.

Col. Aba 18 Officers and 83 men Have Surrendered.

Manila, April 9.—After objecting to two clauses in the draft of the peace manifesto, drafted by Chief Justice Arrellano, Aguinaldo signed the Document.

Colonel Aba, Insurgent leader of Zambales, with thirteen officers and eighty-three men, has surrendered to Lieutenant Colonel Goodrell. General Malver is expected to surrender soon.

FIGHTING IN SOUTH AFRICA.

One Hundred British Captured by the Boers.

London, April 9.—Lord Kitchener reports that a detachment of hundred men of the Fifth Lancers and Imperial Yeomanry were attacked by four hundred Boers in Cape Colony. After several hours fighting the British surrendered and were captured. Only 25 managed to escape.

So many housewives suffer from nervous depression due to catarrhal weakness peculiar to their sex, and suffer on year after year, not knowing what their ailment is. Mrs. Mary Cook, of Pittsford, N. Y., suffered for six years before she learned of Peruna. Mrs. Cook recently wrote the following letter to Dr. Hartman:

"I was not well for six years, paid many doctor bills, but never improved very much. I gave up hopes of ever recovering.

"Finally, I wrote to Dr. Hartman, and I am thankful to say that I am now well, through his good advice and medicine. I am gaining in flesh and feel young again. I was very emaciated, but now my own children are surprised in the great change in me when they visit me."

Miss Annie Zlott, 72 Livingston street, Newark, N. J., took Peruna for extreme nervousness. She says: "I was very ill and thought I would die. I had a terrible headache and my head swam; I thought I would never get well; I seemed to have a great complication of diseases and bought medicines, but they did me no good.

"Finally I gave up and thought I would wait for my end. One day I happened to pick up one of your books. I read of other women who were near death and had been cured by Peruna, so I thought I would try it.

"I took a couple of bottles and began to feel better. I continued its use until now I am a well woman. I praise Peruna highly and wish other women would use it."

Mrs. Anna Roes, 2813 North Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

"Four weeks ago I believed I had consumption; I took a severe cold, and although for the first few days the mucus in my throat and chest was loose it finally became so bad that I had difficulty in breathing.

Pain in the shoulders followed. As I had placed my confidence in you and Peruna, I followed your directions strictly, and improved from day to day, and am now well again."

Most women feel the need of a tonic to counteract the debilitating effects of summer weather. Peruna is such a remedy. It cures all catarrhal conditions whether it be weakness, nervous depression or summer catarrh. For a free book on summer catarrh, address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Two Men Killed and two Injured

Wells, Nev., April 8—The westbound limited train on the Central Pacific was ditched last night near here and three Pullman coaches were burned. Charles Looder and Daniel Hickman, firemen, were killed and Warner and McBride, engineers, severely injured.

Probable Case of Plague.

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 8.—The mystery regarding a young University of Michigan student who has been sent to the pest house, suffering, it is believed, from the bubonic plague, will not be cleared until he takes a turn for the better or worse. The authorities refuse to reveal his identity or to express any opinion as to where he contracted the disease. The patient is a medical student who probably became infected by handling culture tubes in the bacteriological laboratory.

Col. Hatchett of Durham Insane.

Durham, N. C., April 8 —Col. A. Hatchett, who some ten days ago was taken sick on the street here and carried to Watts Hospital, was pronounced insane today by county Health Officer Brook and clerk of the Court Green. Lately he had become uncontrolable and today was removed to the city jail. Application will be made to-morrow to have him placed in the Central Hospital at Raleigh.

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Pensions Granted.

Washington, April 8.—Pensions have been granted residents of North Carolina as follows:

Bettie Lee Ward, Lincolnton, $30; Rebecca Munds, Dwight, $8; Polly Ann Anderson, Oxford, $8; John C. M. Valentine, Owenby, $24; Charles Ownsby, father, Bat Cave, $12.

A ONDERFUL DISCOVERY

Not only cures, but it keeps well. Is sold by an organized company of responsible business men and has the endorsement of thousands of Clergymen and noted people throughout the country. We speak of that wonderful instrument, Electropoise, and ask your careful examination into the cures it has wrought. Col. A. P. Nunally, of the Inter-Ocean, Chicago, writes: "Nearly three years experience with Electropoise only confirms the truth of your claims. I say to my friends that this instrument is a most wonderful invention, and I would not part with mine if I could not get another." Send address for our book giving letters from people who have been cured by Electropoise. ELECTROPOISE CO., 513 Fourth Avenue, Louisville, Ky.

IT SAVED HIS LEG.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga, suffered intensely for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in ten days For Ulcers, Wounds, Burns, Boils, Pain or Piles it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c.

STORY OF A SLAVE.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich. tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents.

Rev. Tom Dixon to Visit Raleigh.

News and Observer.

Rev. Tom Dixon, the noted preacher, is to be in Raleigh very soon. He is expected to reach the city about the 21st, coming from the West, where he has been lecturing for some time.

It is understood that a strong effort will be made to have him lecture for the benefit of the Baptist Female University while he is in Raleigh.

NERVOUSNESS AND NERVE

The more nervous a man is, the less nerve he has. That sounds paradoxical—but it isn't: for nerve is stamina.

Hood's Sarsaparilla gives nerve. It tones the whole system, perfects digestion and assimulation, and is therefore the best medicine a nervous person can take.

If you get tired easily, mentally or physically, take it—it will do you good.

Chinese Immigrants Stopped.

Malone, N. Y., April 8.—Twenty-nine Chinamen were arrested on the Canadian line north of Malone today trying to make their way into the United States.

Humors of all kinds are prolific of worse troubles. They may be entirely expelled by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Wire Glass Trust.

New York, April 8.—The combination of all the wire glass properties in this country was announced today. The new concern which will own all the American wire glass patents and will control directly the entire production of the commodity was incorporated at Trenton, N. J., a few days ago. It is called the Mississippi Glass Company, and its capital is $1,500,000.

Dr. E. Detchon's Anti Diuretic.

May be worth to you more than $100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontenence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once. $1. Sold by Henry T. Hicks, Druggist.

A Big Baltimore Fire.

Baltimore, April 8.—Of the big warehouse of the wholesale drug firm of Gilpin, Langdon & Co., at the northwest corner of Light and Lombard streets, there remain four blackened tottering walls. Fire broke out in the place this afternoon and within an hour the skeleton walls and pillars and a red furnace of debris marked the site of the big business place. The loss is estimated at $200,000, which is fully covered by insurance.

Fever Epidemic in New Haven.

New Haven, Conn., April 8 — Notwithstanding the efforts of the health authorities to minimize the effects of the typhoid fever epidemic, new cases are continually added to the list. The total number now exceeds 150, and many of them are at the critical stage. The demand for trained nurses has exhausted the the supply in the city.

Egg Rolling Around Executive Mansion.

Washington, April 8.—Thirty thousand children observed the annual Easter Monday custom here, and rolled eggs in the grounds surrounding the executive mansion. President and Mrs. McKinley appeared at the windows frequently during the day and waved their handkerchiefs at the little ones.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Will Sue For Her Hatchet.

Topeka, Kan., April 8.—Mrs. Carrie Nation says she will sue the city for some of her hatchets, which are now in the possession of the police department. The hatchets were taken from her on the occasion of her several arrests during saloon smashing days. She made a demand on the chief of police for the hatchets today, but was refused.

BISMARCK'S IRON NERVE.

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25 cents. Sold by all Druggist.

The Menhaden Fishery.

Wilmington, N. C., April 8 —The Menhaden or "fat back" fishery down the river, near Old Brunswick, and the plant for the manufacture of fish scrap for fertilizers is now in full operation and is proving a paying investment. In previous years twenty-three to thirty vessel cargoes of this material have been brought to the several guano factories here from New Jersey and Virginia coast points. Now it is proposed by the new plant to furnish a part of this material at home.

PREVENTED A TRAGEDY.

Timely information given Mrs George Long, of New Straitsville Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of Pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and $1.00 Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free

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VERY LATEST NEWS.

A HORRIBLE TRACEDY AT WADE.

A Crazy Man Hurles Himself Beneath a Moving Train.

News and Observer.

At Wade, N. C., a station on the Atlantic Coast Line, about fifteen miles north of Fayetteville, there was a horrible death yesterday afternoon at about quarter past one o'clock when a crazy man committed suicide.

A young countryman, J. J. McFail, who lives in Cumberland county, had become insane, and was to have been brought to the Central Hospital here yesterday. His brother and uncle were in charge of him at the depot in Wade, as train No. 78 pulled in.

They were endeavoring to get him aboard, but just as the train started he got away from them and dashed under the cars. These passed over the unfortunate young man killing him at once, and throwing his body alongside the track.

Fire in Hickory.

Hickory, N. C., April 8.—The fire alarm this afternoon announced the burning of the Hickory Inn, alarming the whole town and causing the majority of the manufacturing enterprises of the city to shut down besides the closing of business houses. After several connections had been made, the Latta and Martin pump was turned on from the Hickory Milling Company, and by the aid of heroic workers, the fire was extinguished, but not until after considerable damage, especially to the furniture, which was badly broken by being thrown and carried from the building.

The fire was first discovered in the kitchen over the range, which was confined entirely to rear of the hotel. The tin roof had to finally be torn off of the kinchen department before the fire could be extinguished. The hotel and furniture is insured through local agents for $20,000

Safe Blowers Under Woman's Lead.

Frankfort, Ind., April 8.—While the gang of safe blowers which battled so desperately with the citizens of Michigantown Sunday morning seems to have made a temporary escape, there have been sensational developments in connection with the case. The local police have a woman under surveillance, who is suspected of being the leader of the gang.

It is believed that the gang operated from this city, and that they are now in hiding here. If this woman shall undertake to leave the city she will be closely shadowed, and the arrest of the other suspects will probably follow. Indications point to the uncovering of a desperate gang, with this city as its headquarters.

A Colored Woman Indicted for Illegal Voting.

Denver, Col., April 9.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Mrs. M. A. Ratcliffe, on the charge of wilfully, knowingly and unlawfully voting in the wrong precinct at the late city election. She is 39 years of age and has two children. She was an active Democratic worker during the campaign preceding the city election. It is said that she is the first woman arrested in this country for an election fraud.

Wore Confederate Gray in the Pulpit.

Staunton, Va., April 8.—The Rev. James P. Smith, editor of the Richmond Central Presbyterian, preached to Stonewall Jackson Camp of Confederate Veterans at the First Presbyterian Church last night. The preacher, who was one of Jackson's aids and at his elbow when Jackson was shot at Chancellorsville, wore the Confederate gray in the pulpit.

To Take the Mayflower to Porto Rico.

Washington Post.

It is probable that Gov. Allen will go back to Porto Rico aboard the Mayflower. It was the intention of the Navy Department to put this vessel out of commission for a thorough overhauling, but it is realized that the governor must have a suitable ship at San Juan, and the Mayflower is best suited for the service desired.

A Richmond Ice Plant Burned.

Richmond, Va., April 9.—Fire on the upper dock today destroyed the ice plant of Mrs. Jane King and the tobacco factory of Hagan Dart and Company. The loss is estimated at about 50,000.

Truckman Horace Clark was caught beneath falling bricks and one arm and one leg were broken.

Took Sixty Prisoners.

London, April 9.—Under date of Pretoria, April 9, General Kitchener reports that Colonel Plumer took sixty prisoners and a seven-pound gun at Pietersburg. He destroyed 210,000 rounds of small-arm ammunition and a considerable quantity of powder and dynamite.

Cheered by It.

From the Indianapolis Press.

"You are sure you can support my daughter in the style to which she has been accustomed?" asked the Heavy Father.

"Sure, Mike," answered Our Hero, with the assurance of youth.

"Well, I'm glad to hear it. It's more than I can afford any longer."

A Big Hotel Fire.

Ottawa, Ont., April 9.—Two hundred guests were in a frightful panic in Russell house fire this morning, Russell theatre, the finest playhouse in Canada, which adjoined the hotel, was destroyed The "Bell of New York Opera Company" lost its scenery and costumes. Russell House was to the Dominion what Fifth Avenue is to the United States. The Prince of Wales stopped there in 1860.

THINKS HE MAY BE CHARLIE ROSS.

Kansas City Man Thinks he is the Kidnapped Boy—Wants to Find Out.

Kansas City, Mo., Dispatch, 6 h.

Charles Dewitt, who drives a wagon for a local laundry, called on the police today to ask aid in finding his parents. He thinks he is Charlie Ross. He tells a story as full of shivers as a latter-day molodrama.

"When very young, not over 4 or 5," he says, "I lived in an L shaped framed house, the clapboards on which ran up and down. As I remember my mother, she was a fair-haired English woman, young, with a ruddy complexion. One day I was kidnapped. Eight or ten men put a wet cloth in my mouth and covered my head with a tablecloth.'

Then he tells of traveling by rail and boat to a place he thinks was St. John, N. B. Finally he thinks he got to Chicago. He says he was chloroformed fifty times while on these travels, and several times he heard his captors planning to kill him because pursuit was so hot.

At last he was left with a family named Herschman. They lived in Chicago and later in Marseilles, Ill. When any one came to visit the family he was put to bed. After a while his old captors took him again and there was more travel. Then he went to Des Moines, Ia., and there were the Herschmans again. He became one of that family and went to school under their name.

When eighteen or nineteen years old he got the idea that he was being slowly poisoned and ran away. He dropped the name Herschman and called himself Dewitt. He has lived here about two years, having come here from Omaha. He is now about thirty years old. He says he has spent all the money he could earn the last seven or eight years searching for his people. According to the memoranda he says he has secured from old-time neighbors he was a child "round of face, with dimples in cheeks and chin, skin light and clear, eyes brown, hair flaxen and curly, hands small and chubby."

Strange as his story is Dewitt seems to believe it himself and the police are interested.

YOUNG MAN KILLS HIS SWEETHEART.

Then Shoots Himself—Girl had Broken Engagement on Account of Parental Objection.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 9.—This afternoon at Summerville, Ga., about forty miles south of here, J. J. Arrington shot and killed Miss Minnie Cleghorn and then killed himself. The tragedy occurred on the street in front of the home of the woman. Arrington fired ten shots, five taking effect in Miss Cleghorn's breast and three in his own breast. He died almost instantly, but the young woman lived a few minutes. They had been engaged to be married for some time, but there was objection on the part of the woman's parents, and she broke the engagement several days ago. Since this time Arrington had been acting strangely and had made several attempts to see Miss Cleghorn without success.

This afternoon Miss Cleghorn started for the home of a neighbor. She had gone only a short distance from her own gate when she was accosted by Arrington. A few words passed and Arrington drew a pistol and began firing at her. All the shots aimed at her took effect, any one of which would have proved fatal. When the young woman fell, he pointed the pistol at his own breast but the first two shots went wild.

Both parties were members of well known Georgia families. Miss Cleghorn was the youngest daughter of Captain John S. Cleghorn, a wealthy planter. She was charming and counted beautiful. When a passer-by reached her side she was conscious and said:

"Oh, why did he do it?"

Arrington was manager of the Arrington Drug Company and a well-to-do business man.

Filipinos for the Navy.

Washington, April 8.—This country is to have a native Filipino navy Secretary Long has cabled instructions to Admiral Remey, commander of the Asiatic squadron, to enlist five hundred native sailors to man the gunboats and other small vessels formerly belonging to Spain, now used by the United States in the archipelago. These five hundred dusky tars will form the nucleus of an important force. The navy department officials have found that Americans cannot stand the climate of the Philippines when serving on board vessels in the waters of the islands as well as the natives can

His Second Attempt Landed him in the Courts.

Norfolk, Va., April 8.—James Bondurant, eleven years old stole the tug Fannie, of Capt. Twohy's fleet, two weeks ago. After escaping punishment for that theft and also for stealing a bicycle, he has stolen another tug.

Last night he impressed a ten-year old negro boy into service as fireman and tried to get off with the Estelle, a much larger prize than the Fannie. The boy pirate did not succeed in clearing the dock, however, before the captain of the little vessel caught him.

His latest exploit landed him in court and brought down upon him a fine of $100.

Leaves two or three Millions to Tulane.

New Orleans, La., April 8.—A telegram announced the death today in New York of Mrs. Josephine Louise Newcomb. Her will leaves her entire fortune, with the exception of a few legacies, to be used in the support and maintenance of H. Sophie Newcomb Memorial College for the higher education of girls. The college is a part of Tulane University of New Orleans. She now leaves the residue of her fortune, estimated at from two to three million dollars to the support of the college.

Lady Burned to Death and Others Injured.

Rochester, N. Y., April 9.—Mrs Kate Keenan was burned to death and several persons injured in a fire in the Barron block. Fifty occupants of the houses were panic and were rescued with great difficulty.

A DANGEROUS FIRE AT ROCHESTER.

Many Persons Narrowly Escape Death—One Woman Still Missing.

Rochester, April 9.—Two dangerous fires occurred at four o'clock this morning, from which many persons narrowly escaped death. One woman is still missing.

The fire department was called first to a five story brick tenement known as the Barron Block, on State street. When they arrived many tenants were hanging out of the windows and standing on fire escapes. All of the seventeen families in the building are accounted for with the exception of one woman, Mrs. Keenan, who lived on the fourth floor. She is deaf and decrepit, and was probably suffocated.

One of the many thrilling rescues made by the firemen was that of Mrs. Barker and her infant from the third floor. There was no fire escape for her to get out upon. The smoke poured in a volume out of the windows and she was almost overcome, when a ladder was placed against the window and she was carried down in the arms of a fireman. A Mrs. Benson was carried down the fire escape from the second floor. She was ill at the time and had little clothing on. The shock may prove fatal. Michael Dorsey fell down one flight and sprained her ankle.

Only by the merest chance were four persons saved from suffocation at a fire at Kinston at the same hour this morning.

Anguinaldo not so Important.

Washington, April 8.—Suggestions continue to pour in on the administration as to what shall be done with Anguinaldo The President and his cabinet have talked the matter over and have apparently reached a decision to treat Aguinaldo as an ordinary prisoner of war, and not to do anything that will give him the impression that he is a person of great importance. They appreciate that this capture had a very good effect, particularly in this country, where, it seems, according to their observation, to have taken the wind out of the sails of the anti-imperialist movement. It is a mistake to suppose, however, that the President and his advisers are giving any great amount of thought as to what disposition shall be made of the Filipino leader.

5,000 Witness a Wrestling Match

St. Louis, April 8.—In the wrestling match at the Coliseum this evening for the heavy weight championship of America, Tom Jenkins of Cleveland, O., defeated Ernest Roeber of New York, taking two out of three bouts. The conditions of the match were that whichever won the first of two falls in the shortest time should have the naming of the style of the decisive bout. The first bout was catch as-catch can and was won by Jenkins in twenty-five minutes and thirty seconds. The second bout, Graeco-Roman, was taken by Roeber in thirty minutes and forty seconds. The deciding bout was at catch as-catch-can and was won by Jenkins in eleven minutes and forty-five seconds. Five thousand people witnessed the match.

PRISONER ESCAPES.

Placed a Dummy in His bed and Scaled a High Wall to Freedom.

Washington Post.

Moundsville, W. Va., April 8.—The State penitentiary authorities this morning discovered that Joseph E. Greene, a United States prisoner, serving four years for grand larceny, had put a dummy in his bed, scaled the high wall, and escaped He was a consumptive and unable to work, and was allowed to walk about the prison yard. He secured a couple of short ladders, spliced them, and dropped over the outside. There is no clew to his whereabouts. Outside help is supposed to have made escape possible.

Farmers Fight with Pistols.

Richmond, Va., April 8.—There was an exciting duel with pistols near Forks of Buffalo, in Amherst county, to-day between H. B. Jennings and A. D. Whitten, farmers. Jennings was struck on the arm, two bones being broken. The trouble grew out of one of Jennings' tenants having the house of Whitten searched for some plant bed canvas that had been missed.

Found Babies in Boxes.

Clarksburg, W. Va., April 8.—Three boys playing surveyor on the hills near the Pinnickinnick mines to day found the bodies of two babies rolled in woolen cloth and buried in rough boxes. They were evidently about a week old at death. Authorities took charge of them and gave them decent burial and are investigating.

May Abdicate if it is a Girl.

London, April 9.—"The health of Emperor Nicholas has been shaken by the recent commotion," says the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Express, and he will probably abdicate if the next child of the Empress should be a daughter.

Pneumonia Epidemic in Klondike.

Seattle, Wash., April 0.—Dawson passengers who arrived by the steamer "City of Seattle," report that pneumonia is epidemic in the Klondike. American Consul McCook is very ill, with practically no chance of recovery.

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THE ERIE WRECKED OFF N. C. COAST.

Capt. Berry and his Crew Rescued by the Texas.

Baltimore, April 8.—The Merchants and Miners' steamship State of Texas arrived in port this morning from Savannah, bringing the captain and crew of six men of the schooner Erie, rescued at sea last Sunday. Capt. N. S. Eldridge of the State of Texas made the following statement of the rescue:

"Sunday, April 7, about 3:20 p. m., I saw a lot of wreckage, parts of a vessel and a large quantity of lumber. Immediately I increased my lookouts, when presently, on the starboard bow, I saw a raft with the appearance of men on it. I turned the ship's head directly for it, and kept a sharp lookout, and presently saw a signal, which I answered with the steam whistle to let them know their signal was seen, and we were bearing down on them with all speed. I also stationed a man in the rigging with marine glasses, carefully watching the different pieces of wreckage as we passed, so that we should not pass any one that by chance should be clinging to the wreckage unobserved. At 3:50 I stopped the ship and lowered a boat and rescued Captain Berry and his entire crew of six men from the American schooner Erie of Jacksonville, Fla., with lumber for Savannah."

The ship was wrecked on Friday in the Pan Shoal in a gale, rough seas and thick weather. The vessel soon began to break up. Captain Berry and crew lashed themselves on the top of the afterhouse and drifted out to sea. When rescued they were sixteen miles east-northeast from Frying Pan Shoals. Their frail raft was gradually sinking and breaking up. The men were knee-deep in water, drenched from head to foot, and were nearly exhausted. Had it not been for the Texas coming along at that time all would have perished, as night was coming on and the wind and sea were increasing.

Knocked Off a Ninety-foot Bridge.

Coatesville, Pa., April 8.—Two men, aged about twenty-six years, were struck and killed by the main line express on the Pennsylvania Railroad to day as they were crossing over the high bridge which spans Brandywine Creek. They were thrown a distance of ninety feet to the ground below. They are supposed to have been Hebrew peddlers, as Russian passports, made out in the name of Sussman, were found on their persons.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr T. W. Blake, the jeweler, which appears in another column of this issue.

The Commissary Scandals.

Manila, April 9.—The trials of persons mixed up in the commissary scandals will commence at an early date. It is expected that the investigation will lead to many exposures, as the deficit amounts to over $100,000.

Littleton Female College continues to receive more applications for teachers from among its former pupils and graduates than it can accept. At this time every former pupil of the institution, so far as can be ascertained, who desires to teach is at work.

A teacher is desired immediately for a good country school. Any young lady wishing this place may write at once to Rev. J. M. Rhodes, Littleton, N. C.

Driven from their Homes.

Haverhill, Mass., April 7.—Flood causes New Englanders to flee from their homes to-night. Most of cities are in utter darkness, as electric light plants have been compelled to shut down.

NOTICE OF SEIZURE.

Notice is hereby given of seizure of the following property for violation of the internal revenue laws of the United States:

At Franklinton, N. C., Feb. 26, 1901, 10 gallons corn whiskey, of Jos May.

At Patterson's Bridge, 3 barrels of corn whiskey, 140 gallons, as property of unknown.

At Elm City, N. C., March 11, 1901, 5 packages of corn whiskey, 193 7 gallons, distillery premises and apparatus of registered grain distillery, No. 2,982 and 6 packages of corn whiskey, 288 5 gallons and one package 11 gallons, as property of E. A. Norris.

At Star, N. C. March 6, 1901, 8 bbls and 2 kegs of corn whiskey, about 360 gallons, as property of B Auman.

At Star, N. C., March 15, 1901, distillery premises, still and fixtures etc., and 10 bbls. of corn whiskey, about 460 gallons, as property of B. Auman.

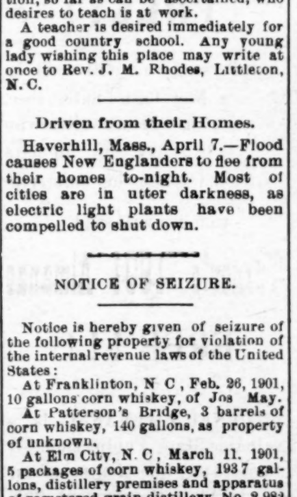
At Maysville, N. C., March 12, 1901, two jugs 4½ gallons each, as property of W. R. Humphrey.

Persons claiming the above property will file their claims with me in my office within thirty days as required by law, or the same will be forfeited to the use of the United States.

March 18, 1901.

E. C. Duncan, Collector.

By J. P. Adams, Deputy Collector, Raleigh, N. C.



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Mrs. James Keil, of 307 Ninth street, N. E. Washington, D. C., writes as follows: "A few months ago I had an attack of Sciatic Rheumatism in its worst form. The pain was so intense that I became completely prostrated. The attack was an unusually severe one, and my condition was regarded as being very dangerous. I was attended by one of the most able doctors in Washington, who is also a member of the faculty of a leading medical college here. He told me to continue his prescriptions and I would get well. After having filled twelve times without receiving the slightest benefit, I declined to continue his treatment any longer. Having heard of S. S. S. (Swift's specific) recommended for Rheumatism, I decided, almost in despair however, to give the medicine a trial, and after I had taken a few bottles I was able to hobble around on crutches, and very soon there after had no use for them at all. S. S. S. having cured me sound and well. All the distressing pains have left me, my appetite has returned, and I am happy to be again restored to perfect health.

SSS the great vegetable purifier and tonic, is the ideal remedy in all rheumatic troubles. There are no opiates or minerals in it to disturb the digestion and lead to ruinous habits.

We have prepared a special book on Rheumatism which every sufferer from this painful disease should read. It is the most complete and interesting book of the kind in existence. It will be sent free to any one desiring it. Write our physicians fully and freely about your case. We make no charge for medical advice.

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Big Handle Factory Burned.

Cadillac, Mich., April 8.—Mitchell Brothers' handle factory, the largest in America, was burned to day. The loss is $65,000 partially insured.

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Cash for a Mexican's Life.

Washington, April 8.—The Mexican Ambassador today received from the Secretary of State a draft for $2,000 paid out of humane consideration, and without reference to the question of liability, as full indemnity to the heirs of Florentino Snaste, a Mexican citizen, who was lynched in La Salle county, Texas in 1895.

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A Heavy Feeling After Eating.

Mr. Harry M. White, aged forty-one years, conductor Pennsylvania R. R., living 910 N. 29th St., Philadelphia, Pa., writes under date of May 4, 1898: For years I suffered with a heavy feeling after eating and headaches, and sometimes when I would stoop to catch a switch I would get so giddy that I would have to stand awhile to get so I could perform my duty. I took phosphate of sodium, lemon juice, bromoseltzer, baking soda, and doctored with homeopathic physicians and got no relief. One day when out on the road I picked up a circular telling of Ripans Tabules and I thought I would try them. I am happy to say I found relief in the first box I got. I can eat things now that made me sick before. My wife had wind dyspepsia and I advised her to try the Ripans Tabules. She got so much better that I bought a dozen boxes and would not be without them in my house if they cost me two dollars a box. I recommend Ripans Tabules to any one who is afflicted like I was.

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Came to Life.

Benwood, W. Va., April 4.—Joe Polich, a middle-aged Slav, came to life this evening while a coroner's jury was holding and inquest over his supposed dead body.

While working in the yard of the Wheeling steel plant to-day he suddenly fell and his fellow-workmen believed him dead. His body was carried to the City Hall. Justice Harry Riddle impaneled a jury and had taken some evidence.

He had filled out a blank death certificate and was about to sign it when Polich sat up, rubbed his eyes and looked about in a dazed sort of way.

Physicians pronounced it an unusual case of suspended animation resulting from cramps. Polich will be back at his work to-morrow.

More Ships Than Needed.

Washington, April 4.—Rear Admiral Crowninshied, chief of the bureau of navigation, has suggested to Secretary Long the consideration of the question of reducing the fleet in the Philippines on account of the apparent collapse of the insurrection. Recent reports have shown there is very little activity on the part of the insurgent blockade runners, and with the capture of Aguinaldo and the daily surrender of insurgent commands, the navy does not need such a large force to co-operate with the army. Before taking action the Navy Department will ascertain the opinion of Rear Admiral Remey, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic station.

But Very Little Improvement.

Times Mercury.

The new election law is very little fairer than the one of 1899. It does not say that the different parties shall have a chance to choose their judges of elections, and here is where the meanness is done. Neither does it show that the judges and registrars are required to be sworn. This is the way we see it as published in the papers. It is just as we expected to find it. A party that is afraid to give even the minority representation of its own selection, means to do dirt if it is necessary and where it is needed to place or keep that party in power.

THREE MEN KILLED IN A WRECK.

On the Durham and Charlotte Railroad Near Gulf.

Jonesboro, N. C., April 4.—Late this evening there was a wreck on the Durham and Charlotte Railroad near Gulf, in Chatham county. The engineer and two negroes were killed and another man was injured. The train ran off the track into a creek catching the three men under it. The bodies have not yet been recovered. A similar wreck occurred at the same place about a year ago, a young lady being killed and several injured.

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A Man Cowhidded for Drunkenness.

Suffolk, Va., April 4.—John Ward, colored, who gained notoriety last year by volunteering to run before bloodhounds, was to-day officially cowhided in the city hall. The alternative for drunkenness was sixty days in jail, and Ward chose the thrashing. Chief of Police Ames put thirty stripes across his back. Ward uttered no cry.

Governor Allen denies the report that he has resigned as Governor of Porto Rico.

Special Rates Via S A L Railway.

General Missionary Conference M. E. Church, South New Orleans, La., April 24 30, 1901.

One first class fare from all points rate from Raleigh $25 50. Tickets to be sold April 22, 23 and 24, final return limit May 3.

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One first-class rate for round trip from all points, rate from Raleigh $25 50. Tickets sold May 7, 8 and 9, return limit May 20. Extension of final limit may be obtained until June 1 by depositing ticket with Joint Agent at New Orleans on or before May 16, and on payment of fee or fifty cents.

United Confederate Veterans' Reunion, Memphis, Tenn., May 28-30, 1901.

Special low rates from all points; rate from Raleigh $16.45 for round trip; tickets sold May 25, 26 and 27, return limit June 4. Extension of final limit may be obtained until June 30th, by depositing ticket with Joint Agent at Memphis and upon payment of fee of fifty cents

International Christian Endeavor Convention, Cincinnati, Ohio July 6 10, 1901.

One first class fare for round trip from all points; rate from Raleigh $16 55, tickets sold July 4, 5 and 6, return limit July 14. Extension of the final limit may be obtained to September 1st by depositing ticket with Joint Agent in Cincinnati on or before July 10th, and on payment of fee of fifty cents.

National Educational Association, Detroit, Mich, July 7-12, 1901.

One fare for round trip from all points, plus $2 00 membership fee. Rate from Raleigh $18.80 via Richmond, $20 60 via Washington. Tickets sold July 5, 6 and 7, return limit July 16. An extension of final limit may be obtained to September 1st, by depositing ticket before July 12 with the Joint Agent at Detroit and on payment of fee of fifty cents.

Triennial Conclavve Knights Templar, Louisville, Ky, Aug. 27-30, 1901

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Siberian Troops Defeat Chinese.

Berlin, April 6.—A dispatch to the Cologne Gazette from St. Petersburg says hard fighting is reported to have occurred between the first, second and third Fast Siberian rifle regiments and several thousands of Chinese troops, between Kobantsy and Sin Min Ting, the Russians lost a captain and several men killed, and a lieutenant colonel, several other officers and many men wounded. The Chinese lost heavily and retreated, with the Russians pursuing them.

The date of the engagement is not mentioned in the dispatch received.

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Father Shoots Invalid Son.

Parkersburg, W. Va., April 6.—At Crow Summit, Jackson county, James Wheaton shot and mortally wounded his invalid son Everett, who was attempting to prevent his father from beating his mother. Everett will die. The father was arrested,

House Destroyed by Landslide.

Parkersburg, W. Va., April 6.—The landslide near Woodland Station, on the Ohio River, destroyed the residence of R. M. Reynolds. The house cost about $8,000. The family got out with all the furniture and movable parts of the house.

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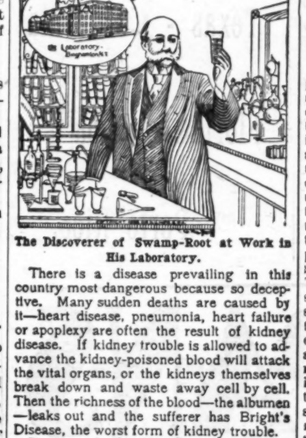

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PEOPLE'S PARTY PLATFORM

Adopted Unanimously in Convention April 18th, 1900.

The People's Party Convention assembled in Raleigh, April 18th, reaffirms the principles set forth in the People's Party National platform adopted at St. Louis in 1896, and instructs the delegates to the National Convention at Sioux Falls May 9th to vote for the nomination of William J. Bryan for President.

We commend the present State Administration for its high personal and official integrity, and challenge a comparison of its record with any and all of its predecessors.

We condemn the Democratic Legislature of 1899 for its extravagant expenditures of public money, amounting to $1,594,765.76 in 1899, as opposed to $1,283,971.11, expended by the preceding Legislature, an excess of $310,794.65, not including the sum of $100,000 for public education nor the $63,250 for purchase of State farms.

We further condemn said Legislature for the careless blundering and careless legislation, including more gross blunders and unconstitutional laws than ever before enacted by any General Assembly in North Carolina.

We further denounce the machine leaders of the Democratic party for laying the whip on the backs of the Democratic Legislature and forcing them into enacting and submitting a disfranchising constitutional amendment in violation of the solemn pledges of the party, made not only officially in their campaign handbook, but by members of the General Assembly and other Democratic candidates for office in their canvass before the people. We denounce them not only for doing this in violation of their pledges, but also for submitting a measure most odious in form and dangerous in effect. That General Assembly being composed of some of the best lawyers of the party, must have known, or at least had a reasonable doubt, not only as to the unconstitutionality of the monstrous provision of Section 5, known as the "grandfather clause" in said amendment, but also of the great danger of that unconstitutional sectional section falling, leaving the remainder of the amendment to stand, thus disfranchising by an educational qualification fifty or sixty thousand white voters of North Carolina, who in 1898 gave the Democratic party power in the Legislature, and whose ignorance is no fault of their own but is chargeable to the neglect of the Democratic party, which now seeks to disfranchise them and make their ignorance a crime alongside that of the felon.

But even if the proposed amendment were not unconstitutional (as it clearly is), still it is especially objectionable in the following particulars:

(a) In that it dignifies with the right of suffrage the most vicious, troublesome and obnoxious class of the negro population, and completely disfranchises the most faithful, kindly and orderly element of that race.

(b) In that, while clamoring for white supremacy and declaring that no white man shall be disfranchised under this amendment, they have so written their amendment that every white boy becoming of age after 1908 stands on the same footing with the negro, and can not vote unless he is able to read and write.

(c) In that by the latter provision, they have made it possible for the educated negro after 1908 to cast his ballot while the unfortunate son of the white men who have been the strength of true democracy stands without a vote at the ballot box. They slaughter the suffrage of the son whose father they dare not openly attack.

(d) In that this suffrage amendment does not remove the negro from politics or settle the negro question in North Carolina.

(e) In that every voter who has not paid his poll tax as much as five months before the State election and eight months before the national election, shall be disfranchised as much as if he were convicted of felony or were an ignorant negro. The purpose of this provision is not only to disfranchise every good honest citizen who unfortunately cannot pay his taxes by the first of March preceding the election, but further to try to bribe the voter to surrender his suffrage at the expense of the public school fund of the State, which is derived from poll taxes. There lurks behind this proposition a still greater danger to the public schools of the State, for with the adoption of the amendment the opponents of free schools in North Carolina will at once raise the cry that every dollar raised for public instruction means the increase of the number of negro voters, and thus the poor white man's son will be chained in bondage of ignorance and disfranchised to prevent the education of the negro voter. There is no white supremacy in this.

The constitutional question presented by the proposed amendment is one that must be determined by the judgment and conscience of each individual voter. Therefore, we do not make it a party question. We state the evils and dangers and leave the voters of all parties to pass their verdict in the light of these facts. The question is above party, and no one should be more active and anxious in our judgment to defeat it than the rank and file of the Democratic party.

The People's Party is and has always been more distinctly than any other party in North Carolina a white man's party, and is more anxious than any other party to solve the race problem, and to force all parties to a discussion of the great economic issues so vitally affecting the welfare of all wealth producers of the State and nation and decency in politics.

Therefore, we propose in lieu of this dangerous amendment, the best solution of the race question that is possible as long as the 15th amendment to the Constitution of the United States stands—a solution which deprives no white man in North Carolina now or hereafter of his right of suffrage, to-wit:

Amend Section 6, Art. 6, of the Constitution of North Carolina by inserting among the disqualifications for office, enumerated therein, the following, viz: All negroes and all persons of negro descent to the third generation inclusive.

If the Democratic Legislature which meets in June will offer this safe, constitutional and wholesome amendment in lieu of the present scheme it will have our hearty support. If they will not, we appeal to the people to rally to our assistance to elect a Legislature pledged to support such an amendment.

We congratulate the people of North Carolina upon the decision of the State Supreme Court in the case of Harris vs. Wright (121 N. C. R., 172), declaring that the General Assembly has power to provide different systems of county government for various counties of the State. Acting under this decision, we pledge the People's Party to the maintenance of the system of local self-government in all the white counties, towns and cities in the State as established by the General Assembly of 1895, and at the same time to provide and maintain a legislative system of coonty governments for all the negro counties of the State, so that there can never be any question that the white people shall always have full and complete control of county in the State.

We denounce the Democratic Legislature of 1899 for passing an election law, every provision of which is carefully and cunningly planned, and devised to thwart the sovereign will of the people of North Carolina by wholesale fraud and debauchery of the ballot box. We declare, without fear of successful contradiction, that it is the most partisan, unfair, infamous and indefensible election law that has ever disgraced the statute books of any state in the Union.

We pledge ourselves to increase the efficiency of the public school system in North Carolina, and point to the fact that the People's Party has done more for public education in North Carolina than the Democratic party ever did in twice the length of time. To the Populists of North Carolina is to be credited the first great increase in the public school system.

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Lv Ridgeway Jct	2 05 am	3 30 pm
Lv Raleigh	3 46 am	5 09 pm
Ar Hamlet	6 30 am	7 50 pm
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Lv Ridgeway Jct	12 55 am	2 10 pm
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Ar Hamlet	6 30 am	7 40 pm
Lv "	6 45 am	8 05 pm
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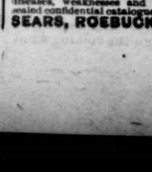

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	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Lv Weldon	11 50	8 54			
Ar Rocky Mount	1 00	9 58			
Lv Tarboro	12 21		6 00		
Lv Rocky	1 00	10 02	6 17	8 15	12 52
Lv Wilson	1 30	10 40	7 10	5 57	2 40
Lv Selma	2 50	11 18			
Lv Fayettev	4 30	12 35			
Ar Florence	7 30	2 40			
	P. M.	A. M.			
Goldsboro			7 52	6 42	3 30
Magnolia				7 5.	4 35
Wilmington				9 20	6 00
				P. M	A. M. P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH

	No. 79 Daily.	No. 12a Excepting Sunday	No. 33 Daily	No. 72 Daily	No. 47 Daily
	A. M.		P. M.		
Lv Florence	9 30		7 35		
Lv Fayetteville	12 15		9 41		
Lv Selma	1 50		11 35		
Ar Wilson	2 35		12 13		
		A M.		P. M.	A. M.
Lv Wilmington				7 00	9 35
Lv Magnolia				8 30	11 10
Lv Goldsboro		4 50		9 37	12 20
	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Lv Wilson	2 35	5 33	12 13	10 45	1 18
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	6 10	12 45	11 23	1 53
Ar Tarboro		6 46			
Lv Tarboro	2 51				
Lv Rocky Mount	3 30		12 45		
Ar Weldon	4 37		1 39		
	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.	

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Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8:10 a. m. and 2:30 p. m., arrive Parmele 9:10 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., returning leave Parmele 9:35 a. m. and 6:30 p. m., arrive Washington 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday 5:30 p. m., Sunday 4:15 p. m., arrives Plymouth 7:40 p. m., 8 10 p.m., returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday 7:50 a. m., and Sunday 9 a. m., arrives Tarboro 10:10 a. m. and 11:00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 5:00 a. m., arriving Smithfield 6:10 a. m., returning leaves Smithfield 7:00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 8:25 a. m.

Trains on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount at 9:30 a. m., 3 40 p. m., arrive Nashville 10 20 a. m., 4 03 p. m., Spring Hope 11 00 a. m., 4 25 p. m., returning leave Spring Hope 1120 a. m., 4 55 p.m., Nashville 11 45 a. m., 5 25 p. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 12 00 a. m., 6 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11:40 a. m., and 4:25 p. m., returning leaves Clinton at 2:45 a. m. and 2:50 p. m.

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TIME TABLE, NO. 11.
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EASTBOUND TRAINS.

STATIONS	Daily ex Sun. mixed freight cars and passengers.	Daily
	A. M.	P. M.
Lv. Goldsboro*		5 15
Best's		5 21
LaGrange*		5 31
Falling Creek		5 39
Kinston		5 50
Ar Dover*		6 04
Lv Dover		6 06
Core's Creek		6 24
Tuscarora		6 34
Clark's		6 41
Ar New Bern*		7 00
Lv New Bern		7 05
Riverdale		7 16
Croatan		7 24
Havelock		7 34
Newport*		7 41
Wildwood		7 50
Atlantic		8 01
Ar Morehead City*		8 15
Lv Morehead City		9 00
Atlantic Hotel		9 01
Lv M. City Depot*		9 05

WESTBOUND TRAINS.

STATIONS.	Passenger daily.	Daily except Sunday mixed freight cars and passengers
	A. M.	P. M.
Ar Goldsboro*	11 00	9 00
Best's	10 43	8 43
W LaGrange*	10 33	8 33
W Falling Creek	10 22	8 22
W Kinston*	10 13	8 13
Caswell	f 9 50	f 8 13½
Dover	9 43	8 07
Core Creek	9 30	7 57
Tuscarora	f 9 20	f 7 50
Clark's	f 9 13	f 7 43
Lv Newbern*	9 00	4 00
Ar	8 27	
Riverdale	f 8 13	
Croatan	f 8 06	
Havelock	8 00	
W Newport*	7 46	
W Wildwood	f 7 39	
Atlantic	f 7 32	
Lv Morehead City*	7 27	
Ar	7 23	
Atlantic Hotel		
Lv M. City Depot	7 05	
	A. M.	P. M.

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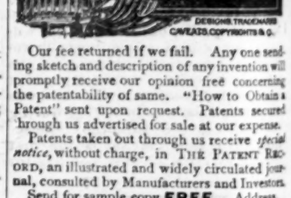

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